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JUDICIAL PANEL ON
MULTIDISTRICT LITIGATION

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BEFORE THE JUDICIAL PANEL ON MULTIDISTRICT LITIGATION
ASHEVILLE, N. C.

IN RE ASBESTOS PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION (NO. 05-4 2005)

(SEE ATTACHED SCHEDULE)

U.S. DISTRICT COURT
W. DIST. OF N. C.

CONDITIONAL TRANSFER ORDER (CTO-253)

On July 29, 1991, the Panel transferred 21,937 civil actions to the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania for coordinated or consolidated pretrial proceedings pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1407. Since that time, 80,013 additional actions have been transferred to the Eastern District of Pennsylvania. With the consent of that court, all such actions have been assigned to the Honorable Charles R. Weiner.

It appears that the actions on this conditional transfer order involve questions of fact which are common to the actions previously transferred to the Eastern District of Pennsylvania and assigned to Judge Weiner.

Pursuant to Rule 7.4 of the Rules of Procedure of the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation, 199 F.R.D. 425, 435-36 (2001), these actions are transferred under 28 U.S.C. § 1407 to the Eastern District of Pennsylvania for the reasons stated in the order of July 29, 1991, 771 F.Supp. 415 (J.P.M.L. 1991), and, with the consent of that court, assigned to the Honorable Charles R. Weiner.

This order does not become effective until it is filed in the Office of the Clerk of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania. The transmittal of this order to said Clerk shall be stayed fifteen (15) days from the entry thereof and if any party files a notice of opposition with the Clerk of the Panel within this fifteen (15) day period, the stay will be continued until further order of the Panel.

FOR THE PANEL:

Michael J. Beck

Michael J. Beck
Clerk of the Panel

Inasmuch as no objection is
pending at this time, the
stay is lifted.

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DIST. DIV. C.A. #

CASE CAPTION

NORTH CAROLINA MIDDLE

NCM 1 05-750

David Thomas Lambeth, Jr., et al. v. Airco, Inc., et al.

NORTH CAROLINA WESTERN

NCW 1 05-278

Loris D. Moree v. A.W. Chesterton, Inc., et al.

NCW 1 05-284

James R. Scott, et al. v. A.W. Chesterton, Inc., et al.

NCW 1 05-296

F. Kenneth Terry, II, et al. v. Aqua-Chem, Inc., et al.

NCW 1 05-297

David Allen Mathis, et al. v. Aqua-Chem, Inc., et al.

NEW YORK EASTERN

NYE 1 05-3564

Catherine G. O'Leary v. A.W. Chesterton Co., et al.

NYE 1 05-3821

Verlene Broughton, etc. v. A.W. Chesterton Co., et al.

NYE 1 05-4061

Thomas L. Armijo, etc. v. A.W. Chesterton Co., et al.

NYE 1 05-4122

Kimberly Clark, etc. v. A.W. Chesterton Co., et al.

SOUTH CAROLINA

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James Leroy Cooper v. Aqua-Chem, Inc., et al.

SC 2 05-2593

Robert C. Loveland, et al. v. Aqua-Chem, Inc., et al.

TEXAS SOUTHERN

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WASHINGTON WESTERN

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~~Steven McAboy, etc. v. IMO Industries, Inc., et al. Opposed 10/21/05~~